

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of

Applicant : E. B. Boden, et al.

Serial No. : 09/578,215 Filed : 23 May 2000

Examiner : Linh L. D. Son

Art Unit : 2135

Entitled : System and Method for Network Address

Translation Integration With IP Security

Docket No. : END919990129US1

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action of 30 Dec 2005 by

Examiner Linh L. D. Son, designated non-final, please amend
the above-identified application as follows: